

the depot was blown off, and considerable damage was done to cars.

CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—At Greenville, Mich., the Baptist Church was blown down by the late tornado,

killing a workman named Michael Tiche. The gale was
 very destructive and peculiar. At Clippewa Station a
 sudden darkness fell upon the place, accompanied by a
 deathlike stillness, and the atmosphere so light that res-
 piration seemed difficult. Suddenly the tornado struck
 the town with indescribable force. During the few mo-
 ments in which it raged it swept away every structure
 in the place. The inhabitants, warned by the darkness
 and stillness, had taken refuge in their cellars, and the
 few very few who remained in consequence. A work-
 man named Price, with his wife and infant, are injured,
 the latter fatally. Miss Thompson is severely injured.
 Many houses were burnt, but not fatally. McCune's house
 was torn to pieces, and the heavy logs of which it was
 built carried like straws through the air. The cause of
 the storm seems to be the meeting of two storms, one
 from the northwest and one from the southeast.

MIDNIGHT WEATHER REPORT.

GOVERNMENT INDICATIONS.

Synopsis for the night of 24 hours.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23, 1 a. m.—The barometer
 has risen throughout the Atlantic States, and is
 highest in New-York, but is lowest in the Northwest.
 Colder northerly winds prevail on the Atlantic Coast,
 with clear or partly cloudy weather and occasionally in-
 creasing to high on the North Carolina Coast. Warmer
 south and east winds prevail over the Lake region, the
 Northwest, the Southwest, and the Ohio Valley, with
 generally cool weather.

Indications.

For the Middle Atlantic States and New-England,
 rain, or sleet, and by falling barometer, cooler northeast,
 veering to warmer southeast winds, clear or partly
 cloudy weather.

TRIBUNE LOCAL OBSERVATIONS

HOURS: Morning.	Night.	Therm.
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12	Barom.
		30.5
		30
		29.5

The diagram shows the meteorological phenomena in this city by means of
 isobars. The perpendicular lines give directions of lines far less than an hour
 in the air. The curved lines represent isotherms, and the arrows indicate
 the mercury during those hours.

TRIBUNE OFFICE, Sept. 23, 1 a. m.—The variations in the barometer during the partly cloudy weather of Sat.

unday were light (see lower line on diagram), but yesterday there was a rapid movement upward. The temperature has fallen nearly 12 degrees since Saturday, and the amount of moisture in the air has been diminished.

Clear or partly cloudy and cool weather, followed by warmer weather, may be expected to-day in this city and vicinity.

BEST THREAD FOR SEWING-MACHINES

THE JURORS AT THE PARIS EXPOSITION AGREE WITH THE JUDGES AT THE CENTENNIAL, AND DECIDE THAT IT IS THE "WILLMANTIC"

It appears from the Associated Press dispatches, and from the list of awards published in the Paris newspapers, that the jury on cotton textiles, yarns and thread at the Universal Exposition, have singled out the WILLMANTIC Company, of Hartford, Conn., for a special distinction. They have decreed that that Company shall receive the grand prize for its *Spool Cotton*, a gold medal and the grand prize for *sewing-machines*. Out of more than 50,000 medals and awards given, there were only 100 grand prizes, and although all the great thread manufacturers of the world competed, the WILLMANTIC COMPANY alone receives the grand prize for Spool Cotton. This action of the Paris jury agrees with the opinion of the Judges at our Centennial Exposition, who decreed a medal, and strongly commended the Willmantic thread for its surpassing excellence. But perhaps the most significant endorsement of this Spool Cotton is that by the sewing-machine manufacturers and operators themselves. More than fifty of them, after having used the Willmantic thread on their machines during the Centennial Exposition, and the Philadelphia and Paris Expositions, on all kinds of the work, have signed certificates declaring that the WILLMANTIC is the "best thread they have ever used on sewing-machines, on account of its strength, evenness, elasticity, finish and beautiful sheen." The concurrent opinion of so many excellent workers ought no longer to leave any room for doubt as to which thread is the best for sewing-machines. It is not of British or foreign manufacture, but an American product, and made at the Willmantic Mills. . . .

A Brooklyn man deposited \$300 with Alex. Frothingham & Co., brokers, 12 Wall-st., New-York, as margin on 100 shares St. Paul Railroad stock. The stock was sold six weeks ago toward, realizing \$24 a per cent. Their Weekly Financial Report is sent free.

Or high or low, or rich or poor,
None would foul teeth or breath endure,
If they but knew how sore and swift

HE WAS SO GOOD, that precious gift, in giving love and life and tone to every charm the mouth can own.

HARRY, who are these? *WAS* SUE. O how I'll like sweeten your breath. Every tobacco chewer should use it. It costs only 10 cents.

THE NEW HAWAIIAN BATHS.
No. 18 Lafayette-place, contain everything that health and comfort could desire for a perfect bath. The water is brought from the mountains and is the most perfect bathing establishment in the world.

A coating of diamonds on a pure crystal surface. These are Parisian Diamonds. Their lustre is permanent. For sale only at R. Humphrey's jewelry store, 81 Broadway, corner 14th St., New York. Price has been set too low. I have no agents.

Rough and uneven floors cannot wear out a carpet where a good carpet lining is used. Use only that manufactured of cotton and paper. American Carpet Lining Co., managers, New York and London. For sale by all carpet dealers.

MARRIED.

BELL—BENNETT—at Newport, R. I., on Thursday, September 19, by the Rev. Philip Osgood, of the Baptist Church, to James Benjamin Bennett, of the late James Bennett.

CURRIAN—AMBLER—on Wednesday, September 18, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. James Ross Curran to Miss Mary Emily, daughter of Mr. Samuel M. Ambler, all of this city.

NICOLL—LORD—on Thursday, September 18, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. James Compt. Lord, to George Nicoll, N. J., by the Rev. John Hall, D. D., of Benjamin Nicoll to Grace Davidson Lord, daughter of the late James Davidson Lord.

PERRY—TROTTER—in Bristol, R. I., on the 17th inst., at Trinity Church, by the Rev. Dr. Perry of Bangor, Maine, to Charles Varman Perry and Mary Isabel, daughter of Andrew R. Trotter, formerly of this city.

YOUNG—COLLETT—in Albany, N. Y., Tuesday, September 17, by the Rev. A. D. Campbell, W. J. Young, of New York, to Fannie, daughter of the late Nathan Goldsmith, esq., Albany, N. Y. No cards.

All notice of Marriages must be indorsed with full name and address.

DIED.

BALDWIN—At West Haven, Conn., very suddenly, on Tuesday, September 19, 1876, Mrs. Martha Whittey, widow of John H. Baldwin, in the 63d year of her age.

BLACK—Suddeny, at Southport, Conn., on the 20th September, Della M., widow of the late William Black, of New-
Notice of funeral hereafter.

DEAN—At Plainfield, N. J., on Saturday, September 21, Susan Elizabeth, wife of David J. Dean, daughter of the late Rev. John H. Mills.

Funeral services at her late residence, Rockview av., North Plainfield, N. J., on Thursday next, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Carriages will be in waiting at the depot on the arrival of the 2:30 train from New-York.

ROCKWELL, a slave of Elijah Houghton, aged 70 years.
M. mothers of the family and 4 relatives are invited to attend the funeral services at No. 151-ast, on Tuesday morning, at 11 o'clock. No flowers.

MAJOR—On Friday morning, September 20, Anne T. Stevay, wife of William T. Stevay, died at her residence, No. 234 1/2, 234 1/2, at 1 o'clock.

SLADE—At residence, No. 34, on Saturday, September 21, Helen, second daughter of Frederick T. and Amy Lane Slade, aged 5 years.

Interment at Greenwood, Monday, September 23, at 1:30 p.m.

THORPE—On Friday morning, 20th inst., Thomas H. Thorpe, in the 64th year of his age.

Funeral services will be held at Christ Church, Bedford-ave., Brooklyn, E. D., on Monday, 23rd inst., at 4 o'clock p. m. The relatives respectively request that no flowers be sent.

VAN NORDEN—In this city, on the 21st inst., James Van Norden, in the 77th year of his age.

Funeral from his home, 141 East 37th-st., on Wednesday, the 25th inst., at 11 a. m.

Funeral Notices.

Dangs & Co., 606 Broadway,
Will sell at auction on
MONDAY, September 23, at 3.30 p. m.

Old and new books. English and French, scientific and popular; also a large lot of marzaines in numbers.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON, September 24, at 3.30 o'clock,
Books relating to American, general and local History, Genealogy, Voyages, Travel, North American Indians and Indian Wars, the Rebellion, Geology, and Reprints, comprising many valuable and scarce works.

Come Back to Erin.
SONG AND CHORUS.

The words and music of the song and chorus, "Come Back to Erin" will be given away with No. 471 of THE NEW-YORK PHRENECIC COMPANION. The following prices of music are also given free with the same paper:

Slavery Days song by Harrigan and Hart, with.....	No. 579
The Man in the Moon, song by Harrigan and Hart, with.....	No. 580
The Lark and the Finch, with.....	No. 581
Lullaby (song by J. C. Emmet in "Fris") with.....	No. 582
The Girl's Farewell, with.....	No. 583
Sweet By and By, with.....	No. 584
Whoa! Emmet! with.....	No. 585

Nervous Ex-mission.—A most curious case, comprising a series of seizures delivered by the Museum of Anatomy, New-York, on the cause and cure of premature decline, showing indisputably how long a man may be kept alive, affording a clear and valuable illustration to marriage and the treatment of nervous and physical debility, being the result of a year's observation, by Dr. J. C. Allen, 608 Broadway, New-York.